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'STOCK WAS HELD

FAILURE OF WABASH TO SHIP
OUT MADE BASIS OF SUIT.

ANOTHER SUIT ON WILL

Heirs Would Have Estate Distributed
Without Waiting for Death of
Another Beneficiary.

Friday afternoon and Saturday several suits were filed for the February term of circuit court.

Two suits that were filed by Attorney George Pat Wright were against the Wabash. The first was that of Elihu Carter against the railroad, and the second one that of Charley Peters. The former asks for \$336.75 and the latter for \$315.25. The petition claims that on December 11, 1909, the plaintiffs delivered to the station at Wilcox several head of cattle to be shipped to the union stock yards at Chicago, and that the cattle would be shipped on a special fast stock train, which would pass through Wilcox that day. The defendant failed and neglected to ship the live stock as agreed, and it was detained in the yards at Wilcox over twenty-six hours, and the weather being bad and the stock unprotected, and arriving in Chicago on a day when the market price was low, the plaintiffs want damages.

Another suit to set aside a will was filed Saturday by Allen, Gabbert, Mitchell & Martin of St. Joseph for Hanson Sisson against Charles F. Sisson, David Sisson and F. L. Stutesman. The petition alleges that John W. Sisson died in Parnell on March 16, 1910, and left a paper purporting to be his last will, and bequeathed that nothing be sold, either the farm or the stock, as long as the deceased's unfortunate brother, David Sisson, shall live, and that F. L. Stutesman shall remain on the farm and care for David Sisson. After the death of David Sisson, the property to be equally divided between the two sons, Hanson and Charles Sisson. The will was probated April, 1910. The plaintiff asks that the will be annulled and set aside for the reasons that John W. Sisson had been sick and ill of a lingering and incurable disease, that steadily depleted his physical and mental health and was not of sound mind when the will was made. The will was written March 2, 1910.

"STORY SHOULD BE PART OF HISTORY"

Saturday's issue of the St. Joseph Gazette had the following about Matthew Whiteford of Guilford:

"Uncle" Matt Whiteford of Guilford, Mo., was at the yards yesterday superintending the sale of some hogs. Mr. Whiteford is one of the pioneers of Northwestern Missouri. His story of pioneer days in Nodaway county is familiar to many stock yards men and should be a part of the history of the rich section that was settled by such men as the late David Rankin, the Prathers, Dilbys and others who came when the Indians were still close and when they bought lands at less than \$10 per acre that are now quoted at \$100 and over.

PRES. STOUT WILL COME WITH QUARTET

The Howard-Payne college quartet, accompanied by President H. E. Stout of the Howard-Payne college at Fayette, Mo., will arrive in Maryville Sunday evening and will take part in the services at the M. E. church, South, that evening. The quartet will give a concert in that church Monday evening. A member of the quartet is Miss Myrtle Sheldon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Staal and children, Marguerite, Louise and William, returned Saturday noon from a visit in St. Joseph with Mrs. Staal's mother, Mrs. Peter Young.

Mrs. Jesse Douglas of Bedison came to Maryville Friday to attend Clarence Eddy's pipe organ recital, and was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Rebecca Gray, of South Main street.

Mrs. D. S. Robinson and her sister, Miss Chloe Neal, of Pickering were shopping in the city Saturday.

TALKS MUST BE BRIEF BEFORE COMMITTEE

Jefferson City, Jan. 18.—If the eleemosynary and educational institutions of Missouri hope to obtain large appropriations from the legislature this winter they must be prepared to tell of their needs in a brisk, business-like manner. E. P. Deal, chairman of the appropriations committee, sent word tonight to the heads of each institution that they would be allowed only a half hour each before the committee.

"The only exception we shall make to the rule will be the University of Missouri," Mr. Deal said. "We will give the university a full night for a hearing, perhaps two."

The first delegations will appear before the committee Monday night. Two hearings will be held a night until each school and hospital has told of its needs.

MISS GOFORTH'S CONDITION SERIOUS

W. E. Goforth, agent at the Burlington depot, returned to St. Joseph Saturday morning, where he went Friday morning to be with his sister, Miss Bertha Goforth of Bolckow, who was operated on in a Sisters' hospital in that city that day. He returned to Maryville Friday night to attend to some business, but returned this morning in accordance with his promise to his sister that he would return to her as soon as possible and remain at her bedside as long as she needed him. Miss Goforth's condition is very grave. Her physicians do not speak hopefully of the result of the operation. A phone message from Mr. Goforth to his wife about noon Saturday stated that Miss Goforth passed a fairly restful night.

INCREASED CAPITAL STOCK OF BANK

The Bank of Guilford held their annual meeting recently and ordered that their capital stock be increased from \$20,000 to \$30,000, most of the stock being taken by the present stockholders of the bank. The bank at Guilford was organized in 1896 with \$10,000 capital. The capital stock has been increased from time to time. The present officers of the bank are: President, Joseph Meyer; vice president, J. L. Ballard; cashier, Carl Wray; assistant cashier, Mrs. Eunice M. Parr. The directors are Mrs. Parr, Joseph Meyer and J. L. Ballard.

THE CHURCHES.

First M. E. Church.
The auditorium of the First M. E. church is undergoing repairs. The decorators hope to get through in about ten days. The regular services will be held Sunday morning and evening in the basement of the church by the pastor, Dr. J. S. Ford. Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock and Epworth League services at 6:30.

First Presbyterian Church.
Services at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday as usual. Sermons by the pastor, Dr. Charles P. Luce, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., and Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.

First Christian Church.
Usual services. The subject of the morning sermon by the pastor, Rev. L. O. Bricker, will be "The Way Out of Discouragement." The evening subject will be "A Kingdom for the Poor." Bible school at 9:30. Christian Endeavor at 6:30.

M. E. Church, South.
Regular services at the M. E. church, South, Sunday. In the evening President Stout of Howard-Payne college will have charge of the services, and a musical number will also be given by the Howard-Payne college quartet.

First Baptist Church.
Services at the First Baptist church Sunday as usual. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. The subject of the morning sermon at 11 o'clock will be "The Gospel of Good Cheer." Evening sermon, "Wronging One's Self." Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Lee Harrel. Miss Marie Jones will sing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Andrews are recovering from a severe siege of the grip.

WON THIRD PRIZE

STATE CORN SHOW HONORS TO
BURLINGTON JUNCTION BOY.

WAS WINNER IN COUNTY

Hubert Corken's Prize Acre Has
Brought Him Fifty Dollars
in Prize Money.

Hubert Corken of Burlington Junction is the winner of the third prize in the largest acre contest in the boys' state corn show and contest held last week at Columbia, at the State Agricultural school.

The prize offered was \$15 for the largest acre yield. The Burlington Junction boys' acre or corn yielded him 81 bushels and 25 pounds.

It will be remembered that Hubert Corken was the winner of the first prize of \$25 in the Nodaway county school corn contest the past October, that was so successfully conducted by County School Commissioner W. M. Oakerson, and he also won the \$10 prize in the ten-acre exhibit.

His state contest prize of last week has brought him in all \$50 in prizes for doing his best to raise the best and biggest yield possible on his acre of ground. This is certainly a big encouragement to him, and will doubtless prove an incentive to all who entered the contest to make still greater effort in future contests, which will result in raising Nodaway's corn raising reputation several notches.

Those winning the prizes in the state contest last week in the largest acre class are:

First—Chester Matheny of Miami, 91 bushels and 15 pounds.

Second—James Conner of Kirksville, 88 bushels.

Third—Hubert Corken of Burlington Junction, 81 bushels and 25 pounds.

Fourth—George Prettyman of Fairfax, 75 bushels and 30 pounds.

SIX GRADUATES FROM ONE FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Nixon of this city have the proud honor of having five daughters and one son who have graduated from the Maryville high school. Another son, Merrill Nixon, who is their youngest child, will soon be graduated from the same school. The names of their other children who have received their diplomas from this school are Thomas Nixon, who graduated last Thursday night with the midwinter class; Miss Lena Nixon and Miss Myrtle Nixon, teachers in the public schools of Downer's Grove, Ill.; Miss Blanche Nixon, principal of a ward school at Hammond, Ind.; Miss Besse Nixon, now Mrs. Roy D. Brunson of Chicago, and Miss Selma Nixon, wife of Dr. Walter Smith of Kansas City, Kan.

All of Mr. and Mrs. Nixon's daughters, of whom there are seven, are or have been teachers in Maryville and Nodaway county. The two eldest daughters, Miss Eva Nixon, the wife of Dr. I. N. McGinty of Elmo, and Miss Nina Nixon, wife of Ralph Rhoades of Downs, Kan., were students of the old Maryville seminary and taught in the county schools before the family moved to Maryville.

MRS. TATE DOING NICELY AFTER OPERATION

Mrs. M. G. Tate, who is a patient at Mercy hospital in Chicago, was operated on at 10 o'clock Saturday morning by Dr. Murphy of that city. A telegram was received by Judge Tate about 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon stating that the operation was successful and Mrs. Tate is getting along nicely. Mrs. Tate's daughters, Misses Janet and Julia Tate, and her son, Magnus Tate, are with her.

NO CITY COUNCIL MEETING LAST NIGHT

There was no meeting of the city council last night, as no quorum was present. The next meeting of the council will be on Friday night, February 3.

Dr. Todd's Mother Ill.

Mrs. Martha A. Todd, the mother of Dr. J. H. Todd, who makes her home with him, seems a little improved Saturday of her illness.

THE ORGAN RECITAL

DR. THOMAS GIVES REPORT OF
THE EDDY CONCERT.

50 YEARS IN CONCERT

The Paderewski of the Organ Minus
the Eccentricities of the Fa-
mous Pole.

(By Dr. D. J. Thomas.)

The organ concert given by Clarence Eddy of New York City at the First Christian church on Friday night thrilled and delighted the large audience beyond measure. Mr. Eddy, as an organist, stands without a peer, his work having received the highest commendation from the greatest living masters of music in every part of the civilized world.

His career has been an unusually remarkable one in that he has held this position as a concert performer for over a half century. Mr. Eddy is the Paderewski of the organ, minus the eccentricities of the latter. His easy and graceful manner and the total absence of mannerisms win immediately the admiration of his audiences.

Mr. Eddy brings out all that the pipe organ is capable of giving, and unconsciously convinces his hearers that he still retains unlimited power, which, if given an opportunity, would manifest itself in musical form. Any description of last night's performance would be inadequate, hence none will be attempted. However, as a parting tribute to Mr. Eddy may it be said that his soul reflects the richest melodies of life and enriches the lives of those with whom he comes in contact.

News of Society and Women's Clubs

W. O. W. Banquet.

The W. O. W. gave a banquet in the lodge hall Friday night, thirty-six members being present. The Lyric quartet furnished the music and a pleasant social evening was enjoyed.

Chafing Dish Supper.

Mrs. A. T. Clark of the Ream hotel entertained a few guests in the hotel parlors Friday evening for her niece, Miss Minnie Griffith, a high school student, who left Saturday for her new home in Savannah. Games and music were the evening's entertainment, the hostess being assisted by her daughters, Miss Maud Clark, who prepared and served a chafing dish luncheon, and Miss Amy Clark. Pink and white carnations were the favors. The guests were Miss Griffith, the honor guest; Misses Amy Clark, Katharine Carpenter, Ruth Reuillard, Laura Craig, Hazel Vandervort, Gladys Holt, Cornelia Hurst and her guest, Miss Lynne Steel of Bedford.

Mr. Eddy Their Guest.

Mr. Clarence Eddy, the famous organist of New York City, was a dinner guest of Dr. and Mrs. D. J. Thomas on Friday evening.

Rebekah Masque and Social.

The masquerade and pie social given by Alert Rebekah lodge Friday night was attended by about sixty guests. Twenty-five couples were masked, which made an enjoyable evening for all. The pies were auctioned off by Noah Sipes, which brought a neat sum for the Rebekahs. Coffee was served with the pies.

Twentieth Century Club.

The Tourist division of the Twentieth Century club will entertain the Shakespearean division of the club at the home of Mrs. S. G. Gilliam, Tuesday afternoon. The topics of the numbers on the program are "History of the Violin," "Stradivarius and Cremona" and "Famous Italian Violinists," which will be given by Mrs. C. P. Luce and Mrs. G. H. Colbert. Responses to roll call will be anecdotes of famous violinists. After the program will be the social hour.

E. E. Carver of Guilford, breeder of Poland-China hogs, sold recently to E. W. S. Wood of Stockton, Cal., three sows, September and October pigs. Mr. Woods made a personal trip recently to Guilford and picked out these hogs, after looking over many other breeders' herds.

MOTHERS' CLUB TO MEET MONDAY

The Mothers' club of Maryville will meet Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. M. H. Borrusch, on South Main street, and all other mothers who are interested in the special mothers' movement are invited to be present.

The special feature of the day's meeting will be the address by Mrs. Weeks, state organizer for the mothers' congress, who is a woman of broad culture. Mrs. Eugene Ogden is president of the Maryville club.

LAST GOOD SHOW FOR THIS SEASON

"Paid in Full," a new play of contemporary American life, by Eugene Walter, will be played at the Empire theater this Saturday evening by a company of exceptional merit. The seat sale has been unusually large. The show promises to be one of the best that has been at the Empire this season, and will probably be the last good show that will be at the theater this year.

GAVE TEN MILLIONS FOR RESEARCH

New York, Jan. 21.—Andrew Carnegie announced a gift of \$10,000,000 to the endowment fund of the Carnegie Institute of Research at Washington. This brings his endowment to the institute up to a total of \$25,000,000.

Coupled with the formal announcement was a declaration by Mr. Carnegie that the work of the institution had cleared from blame the captain of a British ship, who ran his vessel on the rocks, by proving that the British admiralty charts, by which the captain was guided, were two or three degrees astray.

The discovery of 60,000 new worlds by Professor Hale at the observatory on Mt. Wilson, California, also was announced.

Mr. Carnegie also announced that a far more powerful telescope than man has ever made is now under construction for the Mt. Wilson observatory.

The new telescope will have a lens forty inches in diameter. Mr. Carnegie declares that "the whole world is going to listen to the oracle on the top of Mt. Wilson and in a few years we shall know more about the universe than Galileo and Copernicus ever dreamed of. I hope I shall live long enough to hear the revelations that are to come from Professor Hale on Mt. Wilson."

Says Investment Will Pay.

In confirming a report of the endowment, Mr. Carnegie said: "The report is correct. They had a large endowment before and this ten millions makes the total of their endowment twenty-five millions, but the institution has already scored successes to justify even that sum. I believe that the institution in research will repay tenfold in service to the world."

"Doubtless you noticed in the telegraphic news that the yacht, Carnegie, has just reached Buenos Ayres. That yacht is the first one ever built with bronze substituted for iron; the latter deflects the magnetic needle and bronze does not. The result is that all former observations are inaccurate. The Carnegie is going over all the seas year after year, putting the world right. That one service will give ample dividends on the whole \$25,000,000 in my opinion. There is scarcely anything that pleases me so much as the success of that little boat, the first of its kind."

"But this is not all the institution is doing. It is experimenting in its physical laboratory on the rocks and analyzing them and will soon be ready to show a formula for the making of Portland cement or concrete. It has found the ingredients necessary and that invaluable material can be produced in any part of the world wherever the elements are found. Hitherto, as I understand it, cement could only be made from certain comparatively rare deposits."

M. E. CHURCH SOUTH WILL HAVE EVANGELIST

The M. E. church, South, will commence a revival meeting on the first Sunday in February, to be conducted by Evangelist John B. Andrews of Siloam Springs, Ark. A singer will have charge of the music features of the revival.

"Uncle Josh" at Crystal tonight, 10, 20 and 30 cents.

THREE ARE TIED

LAST OF BASKET BALL GAMES TO
THE PIRATES.

FIRST HALF OF SEASON

Business College Holds Celler Championship, with 2 Won and 1 Lost for Others.

Fast and furious was the game between the Pirates and the High School at the Normal gymnasium Friday afternoon. The outcome of the season rested on this game, and consequently the excitement was at a very high pitch. An enthusiastic bunch of rooters from the high school were present and the Pirates were supported by a mixture of Normalites and outsiders. These opposing forces made such a noise that one was reminded of the rooting at Riffe's park when the baseball season closed last year. The score was rolled up evenly all through the game, and no certainty could be placed on the victory until the final whistle blew. The Pirates had proven themselves the victors with a score of 31 to 24. This game finished the first half of the season.

The teams lined up against each other as follows:

Pirates—Bent and Perrin, forwards; Hogan, center; Taylor and Wells, guards.

High School—Vandersloot and Staples, forwards; Fisher, center; Kane and Quinn, guards.

Baskets—Bent 4, Perrin 6, Hogan, Vandersloot 2, Staples, Fisher, Kane 2.

Free throws—Bent 2, Perrin 5, Vandersloot, 11.

One point awarded High School and two points awarded Pirates on fouls.

Referee—Young.

Time of halves—Twenty minutes.

| Standing. | | | |
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| Teams. | Won. | Lost. | Per cent |
| Normal | 2 | 1 | .666 |
| Pirates | 2 | 1 | .666 |
| High School | 2 | 1 | .666 |
| Business College | 0 | 3 | .000 |

REFRESCOING FIRST M. E. CHURCH

The auditorium of the First M. E. church is being refrescoed this week by Louis Syberkop of Creston, Ia. Sunday the regular church services will be held in the basement of the church.


COMPANY F HAS NEW UNIFORMS

New uniforms were received by the members of Company F Friday, being sent from Jefferson City. The uniforms are good ones and are olive drab. An inspection will be held on Thursday evening, February 19, a regular army officer to be in attendance. There are thirty-six members in Company F.

Frank Orcutt is in Oklahoma on a business trip.

The Weather

Unsettled weather with snow tonight or Sunday.



Headachy People—

People who are bothered with persistent headaches—ought to get suspicious that it is caused by their eyes.

Properly fitted Glasses have cured more headaches than all the medicines in creation.

Glasses are a pleasant remedy, too, and a lasting one.

For if Glasses will stop a headache, they will keep it stopped, if they are worn regularly.

If you are troubled with headaches, maybe we could assist you to get rid of it.

It will cost you nothing to find out, anyway at

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SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

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Largest Circulation in
Nodaway County.

On Estate Business.

Robert Gross of Stanberry was in Maryville Saturday on business in regard to the estate of his father, the late Peter Gross, whose death occurred last week.

Don't drug the stomach, or stimulate the heart or kidneys. That is wrong. It is the weak nerves that are crying out for help. Vitalize these weak inside controlling nerves with Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and see how quickly good health will come to you again. Test it and see! Sold by Thomas J. Parle.

Dr. Bear is Sick.

Mrs. Edward Masters and daughter, Miss Hettie, went to Barnard Friday evening because of the illness of Mrs. Masters' brother-in-law, Dr. A. W. Bear.

"Uncle Josh" at Crystal tonight, 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Mrs. Dr. Kavanaugh of New Hampton, Mo., who has been visiting the family of her uncle, Professor B. F. Duncan, since Thursday night, left for her home Saturday morning.

Buy your tickets at Ralnes Bros. for the Howard-Payne Quartet Concert company Monday night, January 23.

Mrs. J. P. Norris and son, Master Arthur, went to Barnard Friday evening to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. Charles Dane, who is sick.

Mrs. Jacob Rohr returned Friday night from a three weeks' visit in St. Joseph.

Miss Martha Amelunxen of St. Joseph, who has been the guest of Misses Lenore and Rose Schumacher the past week, returned to her home Friday evening.

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Miss Frances Tarwater, a Business college student, went to Bethany Saturday morning to spend Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Dudley Reid.

Mrs. E. O. Poland and her little nephew, Clyde Gibson, went to Savannah Saturday morning for a short visit with Master Clyde's father.

Mrs. Ora Cooper and children, Anna and Clarence, living four and one-half miles south of Maryville, went to Bolckow Friday evening to visit Mrs. Cooper's parents, Mrs. W. B. House.

Mrs. Anna Neuens and little granddaughter, Vivian Buhler, went to St. Joseph Friday evening to spend Sunday with Mrs. Neuens' daughter, Mrs. Guy Bowers and her husband.

Miss Alta Hardisty, a State Normal student, went to her home, near Arkoe, Friday to spend Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hardisty.

"Uncle Josh" at Crystal tonight, 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Serious Eye Troubles

In children may not interest a parent when the trouble is commencing, but it gets to be of great importance when the sight is impaired.

A pair of properly fitted glasses might have saved the eyes. Let us make an examination in our usual way and advise you about your children's eyes.

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ERBSTEIN FOUND NOT GUILTY

Second Trial of Chicago Attorney Results in Acquittal.

JURY OUT LESS THAN HOUR.

Was Charged With Bribing Juror McCutcheon to Prevent Conviction of Lee O'Neil Browne, Who Was Also Acquitted on His Second Trial.

Charles, Jan. 21.—Attorney Charles E. Erbstein was found not guilty of having bribed a juror to prevent the conviction of Lee O'Neil Browne, minority leader in the state legislature, who was charged with bribery in connection with the election to the United States senate of William Lorimer. It was Erbstein's second trial and the jury was out less than an hour.

The specific charge against Erbstein, who was counsel for Browne in his second trial, was that he had bribed Juror Grant McCutcheon to hold out for a verdict of "not guilty." Browne was acquitted in his second trial.

Soon after the trial Harry Stacey told State's Attorney John W. Wayman that he had arranged with Erbstein for McCutcheon to receive payment for holding out. Similar testimony was given by McCutcheon, and a similar charge was made against Erbstein. He was tried and on Dec. 17 the jury reported unable to agree.

BIBERY PROBE AT DANVILLE

Foreman Wishes to Carry Investigation Back Several Years.

Danville, Ill., Jan. 21.—The vote selling inquiry by the grand jury promises to develop into a real sensation before it is concluded. It develops now that Isaac Woodyard, foreman of the grand jury, has consulted several attorneys with reference to indicting buyers and sellers of votes on a charge of criminal conspiracy.

Under the law covering vote selling the seller cannot be prosecuted after the expiration of eighteen months, but according to the opinion obtained by Mr. Woodyard he can go back three years under the criminal conspiracy act. If the grand jury goes back three years it will be compelled to investigate the election of Mayor Platt and Judge Kimbrough, who charged the grand jury in the vote selling inquiry; State's Attorney Lewman, who is conducting the investigation, and others.

DIE TO SAVE THEIR PAPOOSES

Two Indian Women Frozen to Death in South Dakota.

Deadwood, S. D., Jan. 21.—In order to save the lives of their papooses, two Indian women, caught in a storm on the prairie near Roseland, Tripp county, this state, stripped off their blankets and wrapped the little ones in them and then crowned them to sleep while they permitted themselves to be frozen to death. The women had been visiting on Bow creek and were driving across the country from a church when a breakdown occurred. The men went to town for help and returned with a rescue party. One of the women was dead from the cold and the other died in a few minutes, but both Indian babes were unharmed.

KANSAS EXPRESS HEARING

Examiner Hears Suit Brought by State Railroad Commissioners.

Topeka, Jan. 21.—Testimony was begun here before John S. Burchmore, examiner for the interstate commerce commission, in the case brought by the Kansas railroad commissioners against all the express companies of the United States and Canada. The case was brought on complaint of poultry dealers, who alleged that an illegal charge of 25 per cent on poultry shipments is costing Kansas dealers \$1,000,000 a year and driving them out of business.

HOUSE IS FOR NEW ORLEANS

Southern City Scores First Point in Contest for Canal Exposition.

Washington, Jan. 21.—By a vote of 9 to 6 New Orleans was selected by the house committee on expositions as the site for the Panama canal exposition in 1915. The bill giving recognition to New Orleans was referred to a subcommittee for slight changes. It is expected that the appropriation item will be granted.

VIRGINIA'S DERT PROBLEM

Supreme Court Will Give More Time Than Usual to Arithmetic Query.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The staggering arithmetical problem, complicated by questions of international law, of how much of the \$33,000,000 debt of the old state of Virginia, West Virginia should bear, was laid before the supreme court for its solution.

Limit Aviators to 1,000-Foot Altitude.

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 21.—Representative Warner of St. Louis introduced a bill in the house prohibiting aeroplane ascensions to a greater height than 1,000 feet and requires aviators to give a bond of \$10,000 as guarantee they will not violate the laws. The penalty is a prison sentence of five years. The violator of the law is said to be "guilty of attempted suicide."

SUNNY MONDAY

The lasting qualities of Sunny Monday laundry soap mean economy to the woman who uses it. Its wonderful dirt-starting qualities are retained until the cake is worn to a wafer, and as it is a hard soap which does not wash away quickly, one bar of it will go as far as two bars of any yellow laundry soap. You spare your pocketbook as well as your clothes when you use Sunny Monday.

THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY
CHICAGO

BAD SLUMP IN WHEAT

Reported Half of Flour Mills in Minneapolis Will Shut Down.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Wheat had a bad slump late in the session today. The cause was selling by important interests and was simultaneous with the announcement that by tonight 50 per cent of the flour mills in Minneapolis would be shut down, owing to poor trade. Closing prices were 1/4¢ to 3/4¢ net lower. Corn, compared with last night, finished a shade off to 1/4¢ up, oats unchanged to 1-16¢ down and provisions at 10¢ to 27 1/2¢ to 30¢ decline. Closing prices:

Wheat—May, \$1.00; July, 96 1/2¢; Sept., 94 1/4¢.

Corn—May, 50 1/2¢; July, 51 1/4¢; Oats—May, 34 1/4¢; July, 34 1/2¢; Pork—Jan., \$20.20; May, \$18.67 1/2¢; Lard—Jan., \$10.05; May, \$9.87 1/2¢; Ribs—Jan., \$10.62 1/2¢; May, \$9.87 1/2¢; Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 95¢@1.01 1/2¢; No. 2 corn, 47 1/4¢; No. 2 oats, 32 1/2¢@32 3/4¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,500; weak; beef steers, \$4.80@7.00; western steers, \$4.60@5.90; stockers and feeders, \$3.85@5.90; cows and heifers, \$2.60@6.25; calves, \$7.50@9.50; Hogs—Receipts, 100 lower; light, \$7.75@8.00; heavy, \$7.70@8.00; pigs, \$7.60@8.10; bulk, \$7.90@7.95. Sheep—Receipts, 7,000; weak; natives, \$2.60@4.50; westerns, \$2.75@4.40; yearlings, \$4.60@5.70; lambs, \$4.50@6.35.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Jan. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,400 head; weak; beef steers, \$5.00@6.50; cows and heifers, \$3.40@5.40; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@6.10; bulls, \$4.25@5.00; calves, \$4.00@6.25. Hogs—Receipts, 8,000; 10¢@15¢ lower; heavy, \$7.35@7.60; mixed, \$7.55@7.70; light, \$7.70@7.85. Sheep—Receipts, 2,400; slow; wethers, \$3.25@4.15; ewes, \$3.00@4.05; lambs, \$5.20@6.00.

Pains of women, head pains, or any pain stopped in twenty minutes sure with Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. See full formula on 25c box. Sold by Thomas J. Parle.

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The Peerless Laundry

324 North Main Street
Superior work
Prompt Service
Phones—Bell 143, Hanamo 130

Automobile School

Barmann & Wolfert

Will give a two month's course of instructions in the care and operation of automobiles, commencing February 1, 1911.

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GOODWIN DIVORCE CASE

Report That Actor Placed Large Sum in Trust for Benefit of Fourth Wife.

New York, Jan. 21.—Justice Goff, in the supreme court, named J. Campbell Thompson, a lawyer, referee to take testimony in the suit for divorce brought by Edna Goodrich Goodwin the actress, against Nat C. Goodwin.

The suit promises to be productive of interesting developments, not the least among which will be the bringing out of the story of an alleged \$1,700,000 pre-nuptial trust deed by which Goodwin turned a big share of his wealth into a trust fund, the revenue from which, it was provided, should be equally divided between the pair during their lives and the principal to go to the survivor on the death of either.

Hermann L. Rooth, counsel for Mrs. Goodwin, said that the property embraced in the trust deed included real estate in California, a big amount in government bonds, many New York state and city bonds and other securities.

Mr. Rooth declared that the agreement by which all this was converted into the trust fund for the benefit of Miss Goodrich was drawn up and signed while Goodwin was still the husband of his third wife, Maxine Elliott.

"It is an ironclad document," continued Mr. Rooth, "and it will be impossible for Goodwin to break it."

SENSATION SPRUNG IN KETCHEL TRIAL

Defense Says Dead Pugilist Was Son of R. P. Dickerson.

Marshfield, Mo., Jan. 21.—A sensation was sprung at the trial of Walter A. Dibley and Goldie Smith, charged with the murder of Stanley Ketchel when attorneys for the defense announced that they would attempt to show that R. P. Dickerson, the wealthy ranch owner, on whose place Ketchel was killed, is the reputed father of the dead pugilist.

Several witnesses were asked if they knew of the alleged relationship between Dickerson and Ketchel. The court ruled the questions out as improper at this time, as Dickerson has not yet testified in the case.

Dickerson has been summoned as a witness, but the state may not call him to prevent the defense from questioning him regarding the alleged relationship. The defense intimated that it would subpoena Dickerson if the state failed to call him to the stand.

George Noelan, an employee of the Dickerson ranch, testified that Ketchel, after being shot, said:

"Well, I guess they got me."

The defense insists that this statement referred to Dibley alone. The state contends that there was a plot between Dibley and Goldie Smith to kill Ketchel.

THREE QUIT CONFERENCE

Nebraska, Drake and Washington Objects to New Ruling.

Columbia, Mo., Jan. 21.—Because the universities have eliminated baseball as a college sport, the Missouri valley conference will be composed of but three teams this year. These teams will represent Ames, Kansas and Missouri. It was announced here that the colleges that have withdrawn are Nebraska, Drake and Washington. It is said the decisions to do so were reached because it was found impossible to secure a team under the new ruling on professionalism. The coaches say they cannot organize a team which bars any man who has ever played on a college team where money was paid the players or where admission was charged.

Five Killed in Virginia Mine.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 21.—Five men were killed, four fatally hurt and seven badly injured as a result of an explosion of dynamite or gas in the Gayton mines, about fifteen miles west of Richmond. All the dead were Poles. The injured are still in the mine, 1,200 to 2,000 feet from the entrance.

Forty Coal Miners Killed.

Sosnowice, Russian Poland, Jan. 21.—Forty miners lost their lives in a fire in the Casimir colliery. Three hundred and sixty others escaped.

CONDENSED NEWS

The first death in Peking since the outbreak of the present epidemic of bubonic plague occurred in a missionary hospital.

Missouri and Iowa have broken off athletic relations of years, because Missouri will not play football against Iowa's big negro tackler.

Ether Dahike of Buffalo, sixteen years old, has been received as an inmate of the house of refuge at Albion, N. Y., having pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy.

Two battleships, two colliers, eight torpedo boat destroyers and four submarine boats constitute the naval increase program for next year, under the action of the house committee on naval affairs.

Four hundred men and women participated in an alfalfa luncheon in Mitchell, S. D., as the closing feature of the state corn show. Biscuits and cookies made from alfalfa flour were served the guests and tea was served made from alfalfa leaves.

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To Visit Sick Nephew.

Mrs. J. R. Croy of this city went to Pickering Saturday, where she was called by the illness of her nephew, Otha McDowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton McDowell. The young man is suffering from pneumonia.

Attend one of the best concerts of the season at the M. E. church, South, Monday night, January 23.

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Miss Karle Parker and her brother, Master Wray Parker, living south of the city, went to Pickering Saturday to visit over Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wray. Their mother, who is visiting there, will accompany them home.

Attend the closing out sale of George Codey, two miles north of Kansas City depot, Monday, Jan. 30. 21-29

"Uncle Josh" at Crystal tonight, 10, 20 and 30 cents.

Joseph Everhart and daughter, Miss Beulah, of Pickering were in town Saturday.

Mrs. W. J. Hutton joined Mr. Hutton on his business trip to St. Joseph Friday evening, where they will visit over Sunday with friends.

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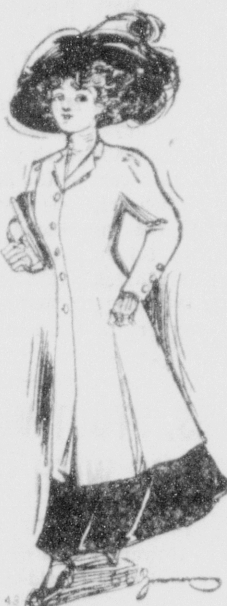
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REAL SPENDERS LIVE IN MOSCOW

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BALLET ROLLS IN CAVIARE.

Young Russian Has Restaurant Plastered With Appetizing Roe and Engages Dancers to Wallow in It Until Black—Another Turns Grand Piano Into Champagne Aquarium.

If you would see the rich Russia of the middle classes spending money in luxury and meaningless excesses you should go to manufacturing Moscow. There is the money. There they made it, and there they spend it. There is indeed a fairly close approximate of the life of the people of this class and the millionaire descendants of the early millionaires of the United States, according to an account in the London Outlook.

Some of the best judges declare that even in Paris the Moscow ways of preparing food are hardly better. "Cochon de lait Moscovite," or sucking pig, is seen on nearly every dinner table. Hundreds of these young pigs only about a week old and ready for the oven are seen in every market, and they are roasted whole as a bird would be.

Angle For Own Fish.

Caviare is served with specially made little cakes, crisp and dainty. But better than this is the sterlet, which the epicures of the world know to be the finest eating fish. It is a condition for the enjoyment of the sterlet that it should be eaten fresh, and at one of the chief restaurants in Moscow the sterlets are kept in a tank, and the diner catches his own from it and has it cooked for him.

There are no sterlets in London, but they have been as far as Paris, for the czar's chef Cubat got them there by filling their gills with breadcrumbs which had been soaked in brandy. They were unconscious during the journey, but revived when placed in water again in Paris.

The cellars of Moscow contain the best vintages of wine that are known, and the prices do justice to the vintages as they do in no other capital. So to dine a la mode in Moscow is to dine at cost.

Trained Bear For Epicures.

One might instance the case of a highly intelligent trained bear that thought and counted. It was seen at exhibition by one of the prodigals, bought for a very large sum and ordered to be cooked for a dinner party. The only doubt in the matter arose some months afterward, when the owner had another performer which he said he had trained in the meantime, but which some people considered had a peculiar resemblance to the one that was believed to have been eaten.

Then there was a host who took out all the wires and work from a highly expensive grand piano, stopped up all the holes inside, and then poured in champagne until it was full and set a sufficiency of sterlets swimming in it, leaving the guests to come and take their own in the usual way.

Rolled In Caviare Bath.

There is another example in the casual visit of one of the rich young bloods to a certain cafe chantant of a superior kind, where a small ballet was in progress. Young Dives had the restaurant cleared of tables and chairs, sent out for caviare and had it pasted all over the floor until there was not an inch that was not black with it, and then by instruction and at a price the girls of the ballet in their pretty costumes came on to this floor and lay down on it and rolled from one side of the room to the other.

NATIONAL WEALTH GROWS.

Average Per Capita In 1791, \$183; In 1910, \$1,359.

Dr. Adam Seybert, America's earnest statistician, made the first computation of the United States national wealth for the year 1791. His total was \$750,000,000. The following figures are for the most part deduced from the censuses and are increasingly trustworthy as modern times are approached:

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| 1800 | 1,072,000,000 |
| 1810 | 1,500,000,000 |
| 1820 | 1,800,000,000 |
| 1830 | 1,882,000,000 |
| 1840 | 2,653,000,000 |
| 1850 | 3,794,000,000 |
| 1860 | 6,174,000,000 |
| 1870 | 14,183,000,000 |
| 1880 | 24,300,000,000 |
| 1890 | 35,000,000,000 |
| 1900 | 65,356,000,000 |
| 1905 | 79,111,000,000 |
| 1910 | 94,000,000,000 |
| 1910 (estimated) | 107,000,000,000 |
| 1910 (estimated) | 125,000,000,000 |

Roughly, this is a net increase of about 3½ per cent per annum, compounded annually. The result is prodigious and a legitimate source of national pride. Average capital per capita in 1791 was \$183, and with a population increased to 92,000,000 the average capital has grown to \$1,359 per capita.

News For the Hairless.

Tonics may be applied as the hair is being combed by a comb invented by a Maryland woman, having hollow, perforated teeth and a reservoir on the back.

MAYOR R. W. SPEER.

Denver Executive
Enters Campaign For
U. S. Senatorship.



THREE-CORNERED TOGA FIGHT

Supporters of Shafroth, Adams and
Speer About Equally Divided.

Denver, Jan. 21.—With the first ballot for United States senator to succeed the late Charles J. Hughes, scheduled for next Tuesday, appearances indicated a three-cornered fight between the supporters of Governor Shafroth, the adherents of former Governor Alva Adams and the friends of Mayor Robert W. Speer of Denver with their strength so equally divided that no election seems possible during the early days of the balloting.

JOINT EXPRESS RATES ARE MUCH REDUCED

Cut in Through Rates Between
All Offices in Country.

New York, Jan. 21.—Officers of Canadian and American express companies in conference here announced a reduction in through rates soon to take effect between all offices of the United States and many of Canada.

All the important express companies were represented, including the Adams, Canadian, American, National, Northern, Southern, Western, Pacific, United States and Wells-Fargo.

In explaining the new schedule the companies instance the present rate between Plainfield, N. J., and Boston.

"A decision was reached by the cents, a saving to the shipper of 33 per cent. The announcement at the close of the conference follows:

which, under the new rule, will be 53 principal express companies which is of far-reaching importance. Instead of two companies which may handle an express package making a separate charge on each line, the charge will be the same as if one company had carried the package from shipping point to destination.

"Necessary details are now being perfected and as soon as legal requirements are complied with this plan for through service at through rates will then take effect, generally between all express offices in the United States."

NAB RECORD AND PHILBERT

Young Men Implicated in Burglary Are
Taken in Charge at St. Joseph.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 21.—When Detective Van Dusen of Omaha reached police headquarters for the purpose of taking back to that city James Record, suspected of having committed several robberies there, he exhibited to the local detectives the picture of Charles Philbert, Record's alleged accomplice, and requested that if he put in an appearance he be arrested.

"Just sit tight," exclaimed Detectives Duncan and Grable, after one squint at the picture. "We have had that man under surveillance for several days, because he did not look good to us."

They departed on a run and arrested Philbert within the next ten minutes. Van Dusen left for Omaha with his two prisoners.

BROWN ON DIRECT VOTE

Nebraska Senator Takes Stand Against
Attitude of Rayner.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Senator Norris Brown addressed the senate in support of the constitutional amendment for direct election of senators by the people. He insisted that the people have the right to vote on that proposition alone and not have it embarrassed by being coupled with any other amendment to the constitution. He took sharp issue with Senator Rayner of Maryland, who insisted that while he is in favor of popular election of senators, he also at the same time and in the same amendment wants the constitution amended taking away from congress the supervisory power it now has over the election of senators and representatives.

STEALING A BATH

Adventure of a Trio of English
Tourists in Germany.

A PRINCE AND A PRIVATE TUB

His Autocratic Highness Was Shamefully Ignored and Enraged, and His Luxurious Bath Was Shamefully Appropriated and Abused.

Parker, Wilks and I had been "doing" Germany on the cheap, and I don't know which of us enjoyed it least. Parker grumbled the most, but then he always did, and, though Wilks and I tried to look on the humorous side of things, we lost flesh over it. We had happened upon a heat wave and swallowed a tremendous lot of dust and flies thrown in gratis, cheap though our tariff was. But we couldn't swallow the foreign titles that cropped up around us. We had too much British pride for that. And, as luck would have it, at the last town of our tour we were quartered on the top floor of a hotel where a German prince occupied a suite of rooms. In our opinion, three English tourists were worth more than thirty German princes, and we dropped our boots on the floor at night in the vain hope that he was underneath. But, alas, his suit was on the first floor, and we never even caught a glimpse of him, though once we heard his high pitched, arrogant, penetrating voice and the cozy fulsome rejoinders of his valet both articulating a language which Parker contemptuously described as "the limit."

It was the last morning of our stay. Parker and I had gone back to the hotel to pack our bags before departing for the station. The weather was hotter and dustier than ever, and Wilks, always energetic, had gone to the public bathing place on the river in search of a swim. I had a letter to write, and Parker wandered round the hotel to kill time. Presently he thrust his face in at the door. It had lost its familiar lowering look and wore a bright and alert expression.

"I say," he ejaculated mysteriously, almost under his breath, "I've just found a bathroom in this blighted hole—bath full of tepid water, with a thermometer in it—clean, warmed towels on the rail, and all that. What shall I do?"

"Do!" I replied. "Get into it, man, and let me know when you've finished."

He wasn't long and came back looking wonderfully young and clean. The mail had just arrived and I had spent a few minutes over my letters before I also found the bathroom, following his directions. It was without exception the best I have ever been in, and, to my surprise, the big porcelain bath was half full of tepid water, and a set of clean, newly warmed towels hung on the rail. I took what the gods gave and asked no questions, but I wanted more cold water and experimented unsuccessfully with various levers on the wall. As a last hope I attacked a cart wheel affair on the floor and after a stiff struggle managed to turn it. A flood of cold water gushed in along one side of the bath, and it was all I could do to wrench the wheel around and stop the flow. As I did so light came upon me in a flash. This was the prince's bath, prepared for him a second time by his obsequious valet. It was the glorious certainty of the fact that made me enjoy that bath as I have never enjoyed a bath before or since. The cheap English tourists were one up on his serene highness, after all. Still, I admit, when I had finished tubbing I lost no time in getting back to the fourth floor again. I told Parker the great news, and we were just discussing it with rapture when Wilks came in, looking supremely dejected for the first time on the tour.

"The bathing place isn't open," he snarled. "Had all the fag of going there for nothing. What dirty beggars they are!"

"Not all of them," I replied. "Don't you worry, old chap." And I described to him the position of the bathroom, and he was off like a hare. During his absence we thoughtfully packed our own bags and his. In ten minutes he returned, fresh as a mountain daisy and bubbling over with gratitude.

"What sort of bath did you get?" I asked carelessly.

"A clinker," he cried, "and it was all put ready for me, clean towels and everything. The only difficulty I had was with the cold water wheel arrangement on the floor."

"It was a bit stiff," I agreed.

"It turned on all right," said Wilks, "but I couldn't turn it off."

"What did you do?" we asked together.

"I left it," he answered simply.

"What time are we due at the station?" said Parker.

"Now," I replied, and we took our bags and went.

As we descended the stairs with studied calmness we heard electric bells continuously tingling on the first floor, a high pitched arrogant voice raised in anger, oozy, servile tones answering imploringly. We came upon the proprietor leaping up the stairs and a stream of water leaping down them, and a couple of hours afterward we crossed the border, with the secret satisfaction that we had "done" Germany at last.—London Punch

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St. Louis Live Stock Market.

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Sheep receipts, one car. Market steady. Top lambs, \$6.25; sheep, \$4.40.

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Cattle—500. Market steady.

Hogs—4,000. Market weak; top, \$7.95.

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Cattle—299. Market steady.

Hogs—6,500. Market weak; top, \$8.90.

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AVIATORS NEED TOWER LANDINGS

Parisian Wants Armored Terraces on Roofs of Buildings.

SPECIAL HOISTS NECESSARY.

Chicagoan Anticipates Air Men's Demand by Fitting Up Station on Top of Twenty-two Story Hotel—Aerial Police Must Regulate Traffic to Prevent Chaos Overhead.

Eugene Henard, architect of the city of Paris, purposes converting the roofs of houses in Paris, London, New York and other great communities to be used as landing places for aeroplanes. They can be decorated, he suggests, with shrubbery and flower beds.

"It soon will be absolutely necessary," he says, "for all large cities to erect as landmarks large towers or lofty spires of a very distinct shape and furnished at night with beacons at the top. When aeroplanes and balloons have been brought under proper control aviators will fly from one roof terrace to another, starting and landing as they please.

Special Elevators Needed.

"Each building will have to have big elevators capable of raising the machines ready to start and to take them to their hanger on their return.

"Aeroplanes will be divided into two classes: light ones of the 'bee' type and heavy ones of the 'bird' type, or dirigible balloons, and unless we wish to retrograde to the prehistoric period of cave dwellers and unless we armor our terraces like battleships we will have to have aerial police to regulate the movements of flying machines.

"And the great capitals should have structures arising to a height of 500 meters to be used also for wireless telegraphy. The conquest of the air will bring with it peace and wealth. The cities of the future more than those of the past will be capable of transformation and embellishment. In them will be erected magnificent towers to call the flying giants from all points of the horizon. Perhaps these beacons eventually may arise to attack the clouds themselves."

One Hotel Prepares For Rush.

There is but one new building of note erected in America which unconsciously followed Mr. Henard's advice. This is a twenty-two story hotel on the Chicago lake front, the roof of which is fitted as an aeroplane landing.

Mr. Henard proposes also that great cities handle their ground traffic by building one street above another. He ridicules the tenacity with which public officials cling to the idea that the bottom of the street must be on a level with the ground in its original condition.

He suggests starting with the opposite idea, with the pavement and carriage way as a bridge roadway. Thus streets with very heavy traffic might have three or four superimposed platforms, according to requirements.

DROP CURTAIN OF TAPESTRY

New Chicago Theater Has Only One In United States.

The new Blackstone theater in Chicago possesses the finest stage curtain in the United States, if not in the world. It is a solid piece of imported tapestry and cost \$15,000 without including the dyes.

There are only two other theaters in the world that have curtains of the same kind, and neither of these, it is said, is as fine a piece of work as the Blackstone's. One of these curtains is at Milan and the other in Russia. No Paris playhouse has such a curtain, and there is none in England. The curtain was woven especially at Aubusson, near Paris.

It is the largest single piece of tapestry ever imported into this country, measuring 39½ by 42 feet. The work of painting the cartoon was begun two years ago in the studio of M. Lemalle in Montmartre, Paris. The weaving was begun last June at Aubusson.

The tapestry is in part a reproduction of one of the famous tapestries owned by Napoleon I. and now hanging in the Louvre. It depicts a group of young people dancing on the green in the time of Louis XIII.

EMBRYO TEACHERS TO SWIM.

Colorado Normal Head Insists on Exercise For Girls.

Girls of the Colorado normal school at Greeley will have to take a swim in the Poudre river every morning before breakfast, then walk two miles in the morning air to attend chapel, if plans announced by Dr. Z. X. Snyder are carried to completion.

He told the embryo schoolteachers that he intended to buy a two acre tract along the river and convert it into a swimming pool, and now the young women have begun planning their bathing suits. In explaining his idea the head of the institution said: "I am a strong believer in physical exercise, and I am inclined to think that students are apt to neglect caring for their bodies. I also believe that swimming is one of the best means of keeping strong and well."

Floating Schools For Islanders. The Chilean maritime province of Entre Rios has equipped two floating schools to enable the residents of its islands to obtain an education.

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